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To: secretary

Subject: COT reports

From:

Dear sir or madam:

I am writing to vigorously oppose the proposed elimination, or less frequent publication, of the Commitment of Traders report. Such a move would further hamper the individual investor in his competition for access to information, and would markedly reduce market transparency. It would further favor large, institutional traders over smaller investors.

It is my strong wish and recommendation that more timely reporting of COT data, not the elimination of that data, be the CFTC's priority in the future.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

David M. Abercrombie

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